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### **NOTICE OF MEETING SCOPE OF PRACTICE COMMITTEE**

Pursuant to A.R.S., Section 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the general public that the Scope of Practice Committee will hold its meeting, open to the public, on June 6, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at the following location:

**Gateway Community College  
Center for Health Career Education  
108 N. 40<sup>th</sup> Street,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Room CH2128  
Phoenix, Arizona 85034**

**Please note change  
in location.**

#### **10:00 A.M.: Call to Order**

- I. Introduction of guests
- II. Review and approval of the March 7, 2006 minutes
- III. Advisory opinions approved by the Board at the March 2006 meeting
  - A. Supervision of Unlicensed Nurse Externs by Registered Nurses
  - B. Suture/Staple Removal – Role of LPN
  - C. Orders: Accepting, Transcribing, Signing-Off Orders
  - D. Injection of Lidocaine: Local Infiltration for Femoral Sheath Removal
  - E. Death, Assessment of
  - F. Intra-Aortic Balloon Removal
  - G. Intra-Osseous Cannulation
  - H. Medication, Carrying by Licensed Nurses
  - I. Suture Mediated Closure Devices
  - J. Amniotomy
  - K. Lumbar Puncture
  - L. Abandonment of Patients
  - M. Foley Catheter: Use of Instrumentation to Deflate a Malfunctioning Foley Catheter Balloon
  - N. Insertion (and Removal) of Laminaria Sponge
  - O. Pacemaker Wires
  - P. Intrauterine Pressure Catheters
- IV. Terminology to use in an advisory opinion – Kathy Adamson, Susan Poole, Anita Fijalka
- V. Review of proposed advisory opinion.
  - A. Anesthetic Agents Administered in End of Life – Kathy Pollard, Donna Heitmann
  - B. Role of RN's in PEG Insertion – Vicki Buchda
- VI. Holding medications for dialysis-FAQ – Donna Heitmann

- VII. Paramedic role in acute care settings - All
- VIII. Review of current advisory opinions
  - A. Infusion Therapy/Venipuncture by LPN's – Marla Moore, Pat Johnson, Heide Johnson, Marianne Locke, Judy Hayter, Susan Poole, Anita Fijalka
  - B. Mediset – Trista Campbell
  - C. Cervical Ripening Agents – Jeannette Sasmor, Kathy Adamson, Robin Hayes
  - D. Use of Agents for Labor Induction – Jeannette Sasmor
  - E. Sigmoidoscopy: Flexible Screening – Anita Fijalka
  - F. Vaginal Speculum Exam and Specimen Collection – Anita Fijalka
  - G. Anesthetic Agents Administered by RN's for Limited Purposes: Airway Management and Peripheral Nerve Block – Vicki Buchda, Christine Benoit
  - H. Apheresis in the Out-Patient Setting – Ann Earhart, Susan Poole
  - I. Pre-hospital Nursing – Donna Heitmann, Susan Poole, Debra Henry; Guest: Sandy Espinoza
- IX. LPN's Changing Supra Pubic Catheters – Heide Johnson
- X. Removal of mediastinal tubes – All
- XI. Resignation of Harry Platte, LPN

**NEXT MEETING: August 29, 2006**

Information concerning the meeting may be obtained by calling (602) 889-5205. Meetings are open to the public.

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